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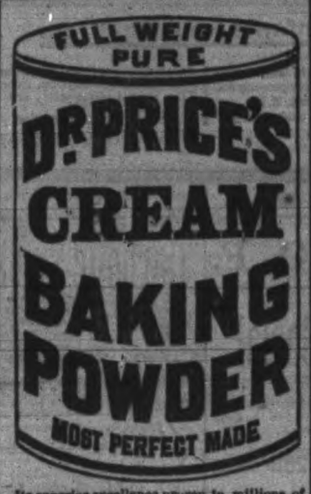

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TO THE TIMES ONLY.

Total Eclipse of the Sun on New Year's Day—C. P. R. Shops Closed at Winnipeg.

Tidings of Lord Lonsdale—In the Arctic Circle—Principal Grant's Return.

[Special to the TIMES.]

Winnipeg, Nov. 27—A total eclipse of the sun, which occurs January 1st, 1889, will be viewed by Winnipeggers and Manitobans with greater clearness than in any other part of the world.

The C. P. R. shops were closed yesterday to admit of repairs to the machinery. It is expected about 150 men will be laid off very soon.

Mr. Cowie, a Hudson Bay officer who has recently arrived from Mackenzie River, brings tidings of Lord Lonsdale, who struck north from the Saskatchewan on a tour of exploration through the northern region. Mr. Cowie said Lord Lonsdale made good progress and by this time he is probably within the Arctic Arcle. He has collected many samples of northern birds for a Scottish natural history society of which he is a member. He will return by the Yukon and Alaska.

Principal Grant is expected to arrive in Vancouver on the next Pacific steamer from Australia, China and Japan.

FROM ONTARIO'S CAPITAL.

Enthusiastic Reception to be Tendered the Champion.

[Special to THE TIMES.]

Toronto, Nov. 27—An enthusiastic meeting was held at the Queen's Hotel last night and arrangements were made to give O'Connor a grand ovation on his return to this city on Monday. The demonstration will consist of a torchlight procession to the Horticultural Gardens where O'Connor will be presented with a gold watch and an address by Mayor Clark on behalf of the citizens.

The girl Charlton, upon whom an abortion was procured by Dr. Valentine, still lies in a precarious condition. All hopes of saving her life being given up by the doctor in attendance. She refuses to make any statement incriminating the doctor and his accessories, although the authorities have used all means to get her to do so.

GENERAL NEWS.

Jewelry Thief Falls Through the Ice and is Drowned.

[Special to THE TIMES.]

Montreal, Nov. 29—A young man went into Grant's jewelry store this evening and asking to see some diamonds was shown about $1400 worth. He at once snatched a plate out of the jeweller's hands and skipped. Grant fired three shots after the thief but did not hit him. The thief dropped the diamonds which were recovered, but he escaped himself.

Orilla, Nov. 27—On Sunday while Mr. McPhee and Miss Kate Rook were on their way to church by skating and drawing her on a sled, they went through the ice into the water and Miss Rook was drowned.

Guelph, Nov. 26—The barns on the Ontario Government model farm near here were burned to-night. The live stock was all saved, but all the other contents were destroyed; loss $30,000; insurance unknown.

Ottawa, Nov. 27—The Dominion Government has ordered two new forty-pounder rifled guns from the Imperial Government for use on the Pacific Coast.

It is understood that C. S. Rodier and Geo. H. Drummond, of Montreal, have been appointed to the Senate *vice* Rolland and Ferrier, deceased, respectively.

Montplaisier, M. P., it is said will replace Fortin.

NEW WESTMINSTER NEWS.

New Mill at Langley—Diphtheria—Attempt to Murder—Burglar.

[Special to THE TIMES.]

New Westminster, Nov. 27—Mr. A. J. Bovill, of this city, has received a consignment of machinery from the east for a new mill which he is building at Langley. The mill has a capacity for cutting 30,000 feet per day.

On Sunday night Mrs. Hogan, of the Telegraph Hotel, discovered a man concealed under her bed on the second floor of the house. She immediately gave an alarm, but the man escaped through a window, slid down the telegraph pole and escaped.

Three new cases of diphtheria were discovered at the Cleveland House. The Board of Health enforced strict quarantine regulations.

The Indians infected with smallpox on the Squamish River and some of their friends have been removed to a point two miles from the rest of the tribe and will be kept there under quarantine till spring. In all there has been six cases of the disease among them of which three died.

At a meeting of the Board of Aldermen last evening a resolution was passed to grant a subsidy of $120 to anyone who will run a freight and passenger steamer daily from Westminster to the North Arm for a term of six months.

About 150 head of cattle arrived by train this afternoon from the interior.

A colored barber of this city named Cooper was up in the police court this morning charged with an attempt to murder two men named Quinton and Bosustow, respectively, in a cabin on the Yale road about three miles from here. After taking evidence of the two men the court adjourned the case for a week.

PERSONAL.

Items Telling of Movements of Well Known Persons.

We regret to hear that J T Fee is seriously ill at the residence of his parents, North Park street.

G W Taylor, of Wrangel, arrived down to-day, and will leave for Portland in a day or two.

H Sylvester, of Wrangel, is in the city.

C P Jones and Archy Taylor of Wrangel, who arrived down to-day, will leave for the east in a few days, the former for New York and the latter for Illinois.

W H Steves, of Lulu Island, is at the Clarence.

Captain R N Toms, of Qu Appelle, N W T, is at the Clarence.

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SUPREME COURT.

Munro Makes a Speech and is Acquitted—Other Cases.

(Before His Lordship Sir M. B. Begbie, C. J.)

On Monday afternoon the Grand Jury returned a true bill in the case of Regina *versus* Kanaka Joe. The foreman of the Grand Jury stated that the members of the jury were of the opinion that the small number of jurors was decidedly objectionable as interfering with the usefulness of the jury. They also presented the following report: "We, your grand jurors, beg to call the attention of the court to the existence of a piggery located on the Saanich road, near the city, kept by a Chinaman named Ah Yuen, which is by reason of its unclean condition a nuisance to travelers and residents in the locality. The jury also directed attention to the common practice of butchers and other vendors of fish, meat and game, hanging or placing their stuff on or along the sidewalk, to the great annoyance of pedestrians and to the detriment of the health of the citizens. The practice is also otherwise objectionable.

His Lordship commenting on the report of the grand jury, spoke in strong terms against the practice of hanging meat and game where the fragments and blood were deposited on the street, and of the very disagreeable experience of coming in contact with the meat on the sidewalk. Even from a sanitary standpoint the practice complained of should be put a stop to at once. He was of the opinion that the city police had this matter under their care, and they were at liberty to deal with this objectionable practice without further orders, as it was a direct violation of a city by-law. He also promised to direct the attention of the Attorney-General to the existence of the piggery complained, and of directed the sheriff to take a note of the suggestion of the grand jurors to have their numbers increased.

At 6 o'clock the court rose to sit again at 7:30 p. m.

EVENING SESSION.

The alleged charge of embezzlement was continued when the court re-assembled at 7:30 p. m. Messrs. J. B. Smith, E. Blackwood, F. C. Ambridge and H. F. Blackwood were called by the prosecution.

Mr. Charles Wilson, for the defence, reviewed the evidence already submitted and made an objection to the evidence produced which did not prove that any specified sum was embezzled. He also objected to the charge on the grounds that under the Dominion Act the C. P. N. Co. are not authorized to sell tickets for passage over the C. P. R and O. R. & N. lines. Mr. Wilson asked the court whether any objection would be made to a statement by the prisoner.

His Lordship said that no statement could be made by prisoner until the case for the defense closed.

Counsel for the prisoner then reviewed the evidence for the prosecution and spoke at some length on the case. He entered a strong protest against the treatment of his client, who has been confined in the Provincial gaol for eleven months awaiting trial. The good character of his client was spoken of by the counsel and witnesses for the defence were called by Mr. Wilson.

Mr. Frank Combless of Portland testified to the good character of the prisoner while in his employ, when he held a position of trust and importance. A. J. Smith was next called, and Mr. Archibald, of the C. P. R. telegraph office, who was asked to produce a certain telegram sent by the prisoner. He refused to produce the telegram unless by order of the court. His Lordship said Her Majesty's command was that the telegram was to be produced. He would not give any order, but he feared he would be compelled to order Mr. Archibald into custody if he longer refused to obey the subpoena he received enjoining him to produce the message. Mr. Archibald then produced the message. It was addressed to S. R. Wiley, O. R & N. Co, Portland, and was as follows:

"Important, we should have your bills up to 31st, October, early as possible—answer when."

At 11 o'clock p. m. His Lordship decided to adjourn the case until this morning. The jury were placed in the care of Deputy Sheriff Langley and Officer Miller and were taken to the Clarence Hotel for the night.

(Before Hon. Justice Crease.)

The petty jury returned a verdict of guilty in the case of Regina *vs.* DuBois. Sentence was deferred.

The next case called Regina *verses* Waterhouse, charged with assaulting a man named Gray.

J. P. Walls appeared for the defense. Deputy Attorney General Irving prosecuted.

The following jurymen were sworn: S McCully, P R Smith, D Cameron, S Wilson, T L Irving, P W Dempster, T Bamford, G O Madigan, A Donaldson, A McGregor, F S Humber, B Beauchamp and E J Salmon.

Mr and Mrs Gray and Dr Fitzgerald were called by the prosecution. W Farrell, E Logan and A Muir were witnesses for the defense.

The jury retired at 5:30 and returned at 7 o'clock with a verdict of guilty coupled with a strong recommendation to mercy. Sentence was deferred.

TO-DAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

TUESDAY, Nov. 27.

Regina *vs.* Munroe.—The jury having answered to their names, His Lordship, after cautioning the prisoner, said he was at liberty to address the jury. The prisoner said: May it please your Lordship and gentlemen of the jury—When I entered the service of the C. P. N. Co. my reputation was beyond dispute. I was with the Oregon company for years. I always accounted for the monies; you must remember my status and the consistency of facts. The system of issuing O. R. & N. tickets was that pursers of the O. R. & N. issued tickets daily for the C. P. N. Co. I returned cash for the coupons in full value. In December I found the bill of the O. R. & N. Co. incorrect. I claimed the discrepancy, which Capt. Irving paid. The prisoner went into a lengthy explanation of the system of issuing tickets and the means of checking the same. The speech was concise and of minute detail and delivered with clearness in an endeavor to elucidate the complications of the system as adopted by the C. P. N. Co. He said that his cash box contained, when he surrendered it, about $3,019 in notes and gold.

His Lordship interrupted and said:—Those statements had nothing to do with the case. The prisoner went and get some $500.50 from Mr. Ambridge on 10th November which he did not account for.

Mr. C. Wilson—There is no evidence My Lord as to his having received the money from Mr. Ambridge.

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TO-DAY'S DISPATCHES.

John Bright Slightly Better—Gossippy Letter From Edmund Yates.

Loss of Lives By the Storm—Eaten by Mountain Lions—Starved to Death.

London, Nov. 27—Mr. Bright, who was very low yesterday, grew easier during the night. The cough somewhat lessened and he got some sleep. He is slightly better. Physicians and friends are astonished at the strong vitality of the patient. He has survived paroxysms of coughing which would have killed any other man. He has remained conscious although the prostration is excessive.

SUPPOSED LOSS OF THIRTY LIVES.

New York, Nov. 27—Reports this morning indicate that yesterday's storm was severely felt along the Canadian coast. A list of the Canadian disasters includes the possible loss of the steamship Polina from Cape Breton for Quebec with forty passengers and a crew of thirty. Several vessels were caught in the ice or driven ashore at various points.

YATES' LETTER.

New York, Nov. 27—Edmund Yates' London cable to the *Tribune* says: It is now definitely settled that Mr. Edwards does not return to the post of First Secretary on the Washington Legation. Mr. Herbert will remain as *Charge D'Affaire* until after General Harrison's inauguration, when it is all but certain Sir Francis Clareford will go out as Minister. Lord Sackville's name is mentioned in connection with a Colonial governorship, but I understand he will not receive another diplomatic appointment.

The Queen's Jubilee presents, most of which have been exhibited at Glasgow for the last six months, were conveyed to Windsor on three vans. The presents filled every inch of the Waterloo gallery when they were at Windsor last year. It will be impossible to place more than two-thirds of them in the principal vestibule of the state department which have been lined with very ornamental cases of oak and glass, in which important presents are to be arranged. A few will probably be placed in the corridor, and the white drawing room. The remainder will go to Osborne and Balmoral.

The Empress Frederick is looking very worn and aged and a good deal thinner than when last in England. She has driven out constantly with the Queen. She shall, it is said, in a short time, see a few of her old friends. She will come to London to visit some of the charitable institutions in which she is always interested. The Emperor's farewell to his mother was an affectionate and touching one. The Empress has her new ladies in waiting, Countess Seckendorf and Baron Bergebach, her secretary, with her. One cause of the quarrel between the Emperor and his mother is that the Emperor personally dislikes one of her most trusted attendants. It was in consequence of the Empress' refusal to dismiss him that the peror spoke out his mind freely and forcibly and offended his mother greatly. However, for the moment the relations between them are much improved.

Much anxiety is felt in Russia about the health of the Czarina, although the real state of affairs is concealed as much as possible. It is an open secret that she has never recovered from the terrible shock to her nerves caused by the recent railway accident.

A committee for the Paris exhibition seem not to be in favor with My Lords of the Admiralty. It has been the not unusual practice to send flags for decorative purposes to British representatives at foreign exhibitions, even when there was no royal commission. The application from the late Lord Mayor, on behalf of the British section at Paris, met with a courteous, graciously worded reply that the store of flags was limited and as they could be obtained through the ordinary trade their lordships saw no reason why they should lend them. On the other hand, most of the chief corporations of the kingdom have promised to contribute each a flag with arms of the city or town.

SNOW STORMS.

Winchester, Va., Nov. 27—Violent snow storms are raging at several points in Virgina.

EXPLORING THE NORTH.

Winnipeg, Nov. 27—James Carnie, representative of the Hudson Bay Co, arrived here last night and reports that two months ago he met Lord Lonsdale and his two servants in good health making their way northward on food. Lord Lonsdale is traveling in the interest of Scotch Naturalists Society and expresses his confidence of reaching a point further north than has yet been reached.

A SPLIT IN THE GRAND ARMY.

Indianapolis, Nov. 27—A secret meeting of nearly twelve hundred Democratic veteran members of the Grand Army of the Republic from posts scattered throughout the state, was held in the capital building last night at which it was resolved that every Democratic member of the Grand Army of the Republic should abandon the order and all present pledged themselves to withdraw from their posts. A name and constitution for a new order were adopted. The new order is to be charitable and non-political in character. Adjutant General Koontz, who presided, stated at the conclusion of the meeting that he had letters from men in eight states indicating that the movement is national.

RUN OVER.

San Jose, Cala., Nov. 27—Edward Jenkins, a railroad employee, 33 years of age, was run over and killed by a car last night.

PARNELL COMMISSION.

London, Nov. 27—The Parnell commission hearing was resumed to-day. Sergeant Gilhooly, of County Kerry, who recited the story of the outrages and testified that he kept a book to record the outrages in. Russell for Parnell demanded the production of the book. James, the *Times* counsel, said the book contained letters and official communications respecting certain persons and it was desirable that they should not be published. Russell asked why the Times counsel should have access to the books and Parnell was denied the same privileges. Parnell's counsel did not succeed in securing the book. Justice Hanpen suggested that the leading counsel on both sides should inspect the book. If they did not agree then the judges would see it. Other policemen testified concerning the outrages.

STARVED TO DEATH.

Dublin, Nov. 27—It is feared nine fishermen have been starved to death at Rounish, an island on the Donegal coast, the severe weather having prevented their return.

EATEN BY MOUNTAIN LIONS.

Helena, Mont., Nov. 27—The skeleton of James Robinson was found in his cabin in Lincoln gulch, Deer Lodge Co., on Friday. All the flesh had been eaten from the bones and the hands and head were severed from the body. Robinson had not been seen for three weeks. On a table in his cabin was found some opium to the use of which Robinson was addicted. It is supposed he took an over dose and became unconscious, when mountain lions entered his cabin and killed him and ate his flesh.

A RAILWAY TRUST.

Chicago, Nov. 27—It is positively asserted in Chicago that the recent conferences of railroad magnates in New York were for the purpose of framing a gigantic railway trust and clearing house, comprising all roads west of the line drawn through Chicago and Milwaukee on the East St. Paul, Minneapolis on the north; Colorado, New Mexico and Wyoming on the west, and Arkansas, on the south. The organization is to be known as the "Western R. R. Clearing House" and its objects are to secure complete reports of all traffic in the territory described and to prescribe rates and character of service.

KILLED WITH A HATCHET.

San Francisco, Nov. 26—Frank Wessels, hotel man, aged 68, died yesterday afternoon from a hatchet wound in the head inflicted by John McDermott, a seafaring man, on Friday night. McDermott, who lodged with his family in Wessels Hotel, was indebted to the latter for several weeks rent and during a dispute over the matter McDermott claims he struck Wessels in self defence.

BOULANGER'S SPEECH.

Paris, Nov. 26—At a meeting of the patriotic league held yesterday Boulanger said "I am more a politician than a soldier. I ardently desire peace. Not the peace which is demanded but the peace imposed by a firm and dignified attitude. That is the only peace acceptable to French hearts."

INCREASED DUTY ON COPPER.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 26—The import duties on sheet copper has been increased to thirty copecks a pound. The duty on copper-bottomed wooden ships has been fixed at twelve roubles for the first hundred tons, and six roubles for every additional hundred tons.

WARRANT FOR HARRINGTON.

Dublin, Nov. 26—Edward Harrington failed to appear in the court to-day in answer to a summons for publishing articles in his paper, the *Kerry Sentinel*, exciting tenants to adopt a plan of campaign. Harrington's counsel applied to the court to have the proceedings postponed in order to enable his client to attend the sessions of the Parnellite commission. The magistrate refused the application on the ground that the article continued to be published, and a warrant was issued for Harrington's arrest.

LONDON NEWS.

London, Nov. 26—The Duke of Marlborough, in addition to the withdrawal of his support to the parish school at Woodstock, in resentment of the refusal of Dr. Majendie, the rector, to ring the church bells in honor of the return of his grace and his American wife from their wedding tour, has forbidden the reverend gentleman to drive in Blenheim Park. The admirers of the rector propose to indemnify the school for the loss of the Duke's patronage, and keep it going in spite of that nobleman's indignation at the slight which he fancies was put upon him.

London, Nov. 26—The report that Gen. Boulanger is to marry a wealthy widow after his wife shall have obtained a divorce from him, is supplemented by the assertion that the lady is to furnish several million francs to assist in the propagation of the general's political schemes.

Lord Salisbury, with the new Austrian Ambassador, Count Deym, had a protracted audience with the Queen at Windsor Castle this afternoon.

The *Standard's* Berlin correspondent says: "The government has rejected France's proposal to join the blocade of East Africa, on condition that the slave dhows and slavers under the French flag seized by the powers be handed over to France for punishment."

London, Nov. 26—In the Commons this evening Sir James Ferguson, parliamentary secretary for foreign affairs, said in reply to interrogations that the government would make no statement regarding the American fishery dispute at present, further than to say that a *modus vivendi* was in operation.

Telegraphic Notes.

The number of coal miners on strike near Brussels is 2,000. There has been no disturbance.

W. F. Hertenstein, President of the Swiss Confederation, died at Geneva, at 3 o'clock this morning. His leg was amputated on Saturday on account of a disease of the veins, and he died from the effects of the operation.

Surgeon Simon, of the cruiser Boston, died on the vessel at quarantine, New York, last night, of yellow fever.

Adolphus Merriam, director of the American Powder Company, of Acton, Mass., died this morning, aged 68. He was president of a powder trust in which a few years ago all the mills of the United States and Canada were interested.

The British ship Douglas, bound for Hamburg, foundered in the North Sea and two of the crew were drowned.

Emperor William has a cold and will remain in his apartments for a few days.

Panama canal securities are down to 200 francs.

The Paris *La Presse* says the Cabinet will discuss to-morrow the question of suppressing the patriotic league.

The steamer Allegheny, which left Boston last Wednesday, is missing. Much anxiety is felt.

The coal steamer Allentown, owned by the Philadelphia & Reading R. R., is reported lost with all hands off Cohasset. She was built in 1873 at a cost $250,000. She carried a crew of twenty men.

President and Mrs. Cleveland will sail for Europe early in May.

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Per steamer Olympian from Puget Sound—H Conway, W H Willard, V Esper, Geo Miller, S D Smith, J S Tabor, W Stubbs, J Donavan, H J Hall, T Cushing, C Marsh, B Sylvester, C T Jones, D McDonald, J H Murphy, Miss Earle, A G Westley, W Rollock, T Campion, Chas Butler, A E Learned, A Portman, L Johnson, Wm E George, L Bellinger, Mrs McDonald, A Gallager, Louis Gost, F Bishton, A Warren, L Devlin, H Donnellion, J Anderson, F W Drewry, J J English, J M Pike, A Gorboll, R Taylor and sons.

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Per Str. Princess Louise from Westminster—H Maynard, Jeffries, Fox, Heathorn, Nevins Carleton, Dales, Sister St Ann, M W Waitt, G Vienna, M Collister, A H & Co, Tolliek, Dom Ex Co, R P Rithet, S Leiser, Henderson, Tevey, Mrs Young.

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Victoria, - Tuesday, November 27th

TRUSTEE ELECTION.

The nomination of candidates to fill the vacancy on the school trustee board, caused by the resignation of Mr. J. B. Ferguson, takes place at the City Hall at 11 a. m. on Wednesday. Should a poll be necessary, it will be opened the following day. It is to be hoped sufficient interest is taken in this important matter by the people of Johnson street ward to see that a good man is brought forward and the selection of a trustee is not left to a few men who aspire—in fact who do run pretty nearly everything that is public in this city. The lack of proper attention to and consideration for our schools in the past has not conduced to the best possible state of things so far as the school board is concerned. The standard of the school board must be kept up and kept free from the partisanship that unfortunately creeps into it, if we are to get the most out of the vast sums that are yearly expended for education. In the city, as in the country, there is much about the schools that is not only not perfect but detrimental to their progress and which will have to be dealt with so soon as a trustee board can be elected who will consider the advancement of the children before all other things.

WHAT WE ARE.

The Dominion of Canada is composed of seven provinces and a number of vast territorial districts. They are unequal in size, British Columbia having 390,344 square miles of area, and little Prince Edward Island containing only 2133 square miles. Quebec has 193,355 square miles, Ontario has 107,780, Nova Scotia 21,731, New Brunswick 27,322, and Manitoba possesses 113,961. The enormous Northwestern Territory, which has been subdivided into Alberta, Saskatchewan and Athabaska, comprises 1,919,502 square miles, Keewaytin 895,306, the Arctic Islands 311,700, and the islands of Hudson's Bay 23,400. Here is an area in the aggregate of 3,406,542 square miles of God's earth under the segis of Great Britain. There are 1,100,000 Frenchmen, the Emerald Isle has contributed 925,600, and the Land o' Cake has 555,000 representatives. Three hundred thousand persons trace their near descent to Germany; there are 70,000 relatives of Taffy the Welshman, and the so-called Scandinavians number about 11,000 souls. Ontario, the most thoroughly English province, has a population of 1,700,000, in round numbers; Quebec contains 1,600,000, Nova Scotia 450,000, New Brunswick nearly 400,000, Prince Edward Island 120,000, British Columbia 150,000, and Manitoba approximately 175,000.

SIR RICHARD'S PLATFORM.

During the course of an address at Ingersoll, Sir Richard Cartwright boldly nailed the unrestricted reciprocity colors to the Liberal masthead, as the following extracts from his speech will show:

"As to our trade with England, I regard that as significant, to her at least. At most a mere fraction of it will be interfered with, and although there are sentimental objections to any ordinary dependency discriminating against goods coming from the Mother Country in favor of a foreign power, yet there are two sides to that question, and if the case be fairly presented to any English statesman worthy of the name, I believe that upon examination he would agree that the intrests of England, which would be advantaged by a friendly connection being established with the United States, are so far-reaching that England would be compensated, not once or twice or ten times, but a hundred fold for any possible loss—if loss there were—which might accrue from a temporary interference with a portion of her trade in British North America.

"The question of unrestricted reciprocity," said he, "has now become, by the decision of the representatives of the Liberal party in the house of Commons of Canada, a cardinal point in the platform of the party. And I may add that in the whole course of my experience I have never known a question of anything like that importance so promptly and unanimously received, with a few exceptions indeed, by the members of any political party, as the question of unrestricted reciprocity, or full and free trade with the United States. (Cheers.) Moreover, in this we have the advantage and happiness of knowing that we enjoy the support of a very considerable portion of those who thought differently from us on political subjects.

"It is a fact, and a cardinal fact, which we must all bear in mind, that there is but one real service which Canada is a position to render to the people of England, and that it is to place ourselves, as far as we honorably can, in friendly relations with the people of the United States, and there is no way in which we could do that one-half so thoroughly as if we could adopt a policy of free interchange with the United States and strengthen those commercial bands which now link us together, and which are already so powerful that in spite of all the restrictions which two hostile tariffs can interpose, one-half of our total trade, and that the most profitable half, is now carried on with the people of the United States."

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—Corns cause intolerable pain. Holloway's corn cure removes the trouble. Try it and see what an amount of pain is saved. *

—Gen. Boulanger dresses with extreme elegance. When in civilian attire he is one of the most fashionable men in Paris.

—The superiority of Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is shown by its good effects on the children. Purchase a bottle and give it a trial. *

—It was an old woman in Indiana who invented the whisk broom, and millions of them are whisking away from daylight to dark without her having made a cent out of the invention.

—Vitality and color are restored to weak and gray hair, by the use of Ayer's Hair Vigor. Through its cleansing and healing qualities, it prevents the accumulation of dandruff and cures all scalp diseases. *

—Two Tennessee men went out to fight a duel, one having an axe and the other a scythe, but a stranger came along and suggested a game of poker and all shook hands and became good friends.

—No woman can be contented and happy if her skin is covered with pimples and blotches. These disfiguring eruptions are easily removed by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. This medicine is perfectly safe to take, and is a thoroughly reliable blood purifier. *

—Miss June Rose carried her aged grandmother out of a burning house at Johnstown, Pa., a few days ago at the risk of her own life. Such a heroic girl deserves just such a pretty name as she bore.

—P. M. Markell, West Jeddore, N. S., writes:—"I wish to inform you of the wonderful qualities of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. I had a horse so lame that he could scarcely walk; the trouble was in the knee; and two or three applications completely cured him." *

—A Successful Combination.—The successful combination of the six oils composing Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil is a genuine triumph of chemistry. Whether applied externally for the relief of pain or to allay inflammation, or taken internally to remedy a cough, it is speedily and entirely effective. *

—As Age Creeps on Apace, the various functions of the body grow weaker in their performance. Old people who suffer from increasing indigestion, torpidity of the liver, and constipation, should give renewed impetus to the action of the stomach, bile-secreting organ and bowels, with Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure, from which aid is never sought in vain. It works wonders as a blood purifier. *

R. A. McLaughlin, Norland, writes: "I am sold out of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure. It sells well, and I find it gives universal satisfaction. I have reason to believe it the best preparation of the kind in the market." It cures Dyspepsia, Biliousness and Torpidity of the Liver, Constipation, and all disease arising from Impure Blood, Female Complaints, etc. *

An Explanation.

What is this "nervous trouble" with which so many seem now to be afflicted? If you will remember a few years ago the word Malaria was comparatively unknown—to-day it is as common as any word in the English language, yet this word covers only the meaning of another word used by our forefathers in times past. So it is with nervous diseases, as they and Malaria are intended to cover what our grandfathers called Biliousness, and all are caused by troubles that arise from a diseased condition of the Liver which in performing its functions finding it cannot dispose of the bile through the ordinary channel is compelled to pass it off through the system, causing nervous troubles, Malaria, Bilious Fever, etc. You who are suffering can well appreciate a cure. We recommend Green's August Flower. Its cures are marvelous. *

For Home and Country.

The British Columbia Directory. This home production is now in press and will be issued at as early a date as possible. Subscribers that have not signed for copies will confer a favor by sending in their names before the end of November to the office, 28 Broad street. R. T. Williams, publisher.

A Success.

The French Hotel, under the management of the well known epicure, Mr. Escalet, is meeting with excellent success. All speak in glowing terms of the cuisine. The place to get the best dinner in town. Meals at all hours during the day. *

Black Dress Materials a Specialty.

Ladies who wear Black from choice will always find the most varied selection at the City House. *

SYRUP of FIGS

A Pleasing Sense of Health and Strength Renewed, and of Ease and Comfort

Follows the use of Syrup of Figs, as it acts gently on the KIDNEYS, LIVER & BOWELS

Effectually Cleansing the System when Costive or Bilious, Dispelling Colds, Headaches and Fevers and permanently curing

HABITUAL CONSTIPATION

without weakening or irritating the organs on which it acts.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

JACK FROST —IS— COMING!

KEEP WARM!

Bed Comforters, 75c. each.
Heavier Comforters, $1.00.
A Good Comforter, $1.50.
Heavy Grey Blankets, $2.75.
Large Grey Blankets, $3.50.
Warm Grey Blankets, $4.00 and $5.50.
Medium size White Blankets, $2.75.
A good heavy White Blanket, $4.50.
Extra size fine White Blankets, $5.50.
Eight-lbs. all wool White Blankets, $6.75.
Nine-lbs all wool, extra size $7.50.
Extra all wool, extra size, $7.50.

25 PAIRS Superior Oregon White Blankets, $9.25 and $9.75.

Ladies' Heavy Grey Vests, Merino, 60c.
Ladies' Better Grey Vests, 90c.
Ladies' Fine Grey Vests, $1.00.
Ladies' Grey Lamb's Wool, good value, $1.25.
Scotch Yarns, good colors, 75c. lb.
Grey Flannel, all wool, 20c.
Grey Flannel, all wool, fine, 25c.
Canton Flannel, 14 yds. $1.00.
Ladies' Knitt Skirts, $1.25.
Plushes, in colors, 60c. yard.
A Fine Plush, in colors $1.00 yd
Ladies' Hosiery in Merino from 20c.
Ladies' Hosiery, Heavy Wool, 45c.
Men's Heavy Wool Sox, 20c.
Men's Undershirts and Overshirts, very cheap.

All Goods Marked in Plain Figures!

ARGYLE HOUSE, 83 Douglas St., CLARENCE BLOCK.

GRAND CONCERT

THE VICTORIA CHORAL SOCIETY WILL give their first CONCERT at the Theatre on Wednesday, 12th December, 1888, on which occasion a most attractive programme will be presented, consisting of selections from the Oratorio "Judas Maccabaeus" and part Songs and Solos by well known composers.

Popular prices of admission, Dress Circle and Parquette, 50 cents; Gallery, 25 cents. Reserved seats can be procured at Messrs. Lombard & Co.'s, Government street, at an extra charge of 25 cents ot and after the 10th December.

Concert will commence punctually at 8 p. m.

D. W. MORROW, Secretary.

NEVER FORGET THE DEAR ONES!

NOW THAT CHRISTMAS IS SO NEAR PROcure something for them; if cash is tight we have one of the best plans for such a case in town. Call at the office of J. K. Gill & Co., White House, 2nd floor, room E., where you will see samples of all the latest Standard Works handsomely bound, large Pictorial Family Bible, beautifully illustrated with colored and steel plates. Albums of the latest designs, something new. Unabridged Dictionaries of 1888 edition, poetical works, and if you want anything they have'nt got they will order on short notice and deliver at your residence upon receipt of a small deposit, the balance at the rate of $2.00 per month. Leave or send in your orders for Christmas at once. Box 787.

J. K. KERR, & CHAS. GUSLEAN. Agents.

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OPTICIAN, 27 Fort Street, one door from Government, Victoria, B. C. Perfected Spectacles and Eye Glasses always on hand and carefully adjusted to sight; twenty-five years' experience in fitting glasses. Satisfaction guaranteed. ☞ OPTICAL GOODS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION. dec26 12m

MRS. McGREGOR, MID-WIFE, Corner Douglas and Cormorant Sts., HAS DIPLOMA FROM THE University of Edinburgh. sel 12

New Restaurant.

THE CALIFORNIA RESTAURANT AND Chop House will be opened on Monday November 19th by L. Cousins and will be run in connection with the elegantly furnished California Hotel, of which Messrs. A. J. & A. Bechtel are proprietors. no17-1m

Albion Iron Works Co., (LIMITED.)

Highest prices paid for Scrap Iron, Copper, Brass, Zinc and Lead.

W. F. BULLEN, Secretary.

MONEY!

$1000, $2500, $3000,

And several smaller sums, for investment on mortgage at current rates.

E. M. JOHNSON, nov13-1m Cor. Government & Bastion Sts.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

CASTORIA for Infants and Children.

"Castoria is so well adapted to children that I recommend it as superior to any prescription known to me." H. A. Archer, M.D., 111 So. Oxford St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Castoria cures Colic, Constipation, Sour Stomach, Diarrhœa, Eructation, Kills Worms, gives sleep, and promotes digestion, Without injurious medication.

The Centaur Company, 77 Murray Street, N. Y.

I. O. O. F.

Oddfellows' Social.

A SOCIAL UNDER THE AUSPICES OF the I. O. O. F. will be held in the Odd-Fellow's Hall, Douglas street, on

Wednesday Evening, 28th Inst.

Tickets admitting gentleman and ladies $1.50, to be obtained of the committee.

H. A. MUNN, Secretary of Committee. 1wl

B. C. Pioneer Society.

ANNUAL DINNER, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1888, AT THE FRENCH HOTEL, AT 8 P. M.

Tickets, $2.50 each, may be obtained from C. Bossi, P. Byrne, E. C. Johnson, J. Kurtz or JNO. J. AUSTIN, Secretary. nov16

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

All persons wishing to qualify as Voters at the next Election for Mayor and Alderman are required to pay all rates and taxes due by them on or before the 1st day of December next.

By order,

W. J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office, November 10, 1888. nov12

JOS. SEARS, Painter, : Glazier, AND PAPERHANGER, Yates Street, above Douglas. fel7 tf

M. Æ. DE CANDIA, GROCER,

HAS REMOVED TO NO. 104, CLARENCE Building, Yates Street, and will open on Saturday, August 11th, with a well selected stock of Groceries.

Teas and Coffee a Specialty.

Prices to Suit the Times.

All Goods Delivered Free of Charge

104 Yates St. 104 Yates St. au10 6m

ANNUAL DINNER.

The St. Andrew's and Caledonian SOCIETY'S ANNUAL DINNER Will be held in the Drard House On Friday, 30th November, AT 7:30 P. M.

Tickets, $2.00 each, can be had from any of the members of the committee.

JOHN GRANT, President. JOHN ROSS, Secretary. nov17

FOR SALE.

THE SPLENDID FAMILY RESIDENCE OF the late Coote M. Chambers, situate on the Victoria Arm. The house contains 7 rooms bath-room, pantry &c., hot and cold water pipes laid throughout. The grounds contain 2½ acres well laid out and planted as garden and orchard. Stable, shed, heat-house, &c. For further particulars apply to THORNTON FELL, Barrister, &c., Langley street. oct29tf

SOLE AGENT For the World-Renowned MASON & HAMLIN ORGANS AND PIANOS.

A very fine selection of Organs and Pianos, for which we have been waiting for some time, have arrived at last, and are now on exhibition. Call at once and select from the very best you can get, the Mason & Hamlin.

THE GREAT STECK, DOMINION PIANOS,

As well as Organs. I have also in stock Bonish and Christie PIANOS and W. W. Kimball & Co.'s ORGANS.

Old Pianos & Organs Exchanged

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BEST VARIETIES. True to name. Home Ornamental Trees and Shrubs in great variety at low prices.

OAKLAND NURSERY, A. OHLSON, Proprietor. Victoria, B. C. au30-3m-dw

"Carbolic Smoke Ball"

This remarkable remedy, Carbolic Smoke, is being used throughout the U. S. Canada and Europe with gratifying results. It acts as a disinfectant upon all the mucous membranes, healing up in a short time. It is put up in Little Balls that can be used at home, in the office or counting-room with perfect ease.

It Positively Cures Catarrh, Asthma, Bronchitis, Influenza, Headache, Croup, Sore Throat, Etc. Thousands of testimonials from representative people, several of which we append.

The only remedy endorsed by physicians.

I, H. H. Sears, do state under oath, that for 20 years I suffered with Catarrh; deaf since 1880. Under care of Dr. S. S. St. John, of Hartford, Ct., for two years, but, all the same, I did not hear. Through using the "Carbolic Smoke Ball" and "Debellator" I to-day can hear and feel better than for thirty years. I am Connecticut born; resident of Galveston, Tex., 33 years.

H. H. SEARS.

Sworn to, Sept. 28, 1887.

I have been benefitted by using Carbolic Smoke Ball.

DR. R. C. BOLGE, Midland, Tenn.

I had been troubled many years with asthma, and it finally assumed the form of consumption. I used the Carbolic Smoke Ball, and I am entirely relieved of my trouble.

MRS. A. R. RICE, 822 East Market street, Indianapolis.

I suffered untold agony for twelve years from that dreadful disease—asthma. Used everything could hear of without relief. Finally used the Carbolic Smoke Ball and Debellator, and I am a cured man. I certainly feel grateful for my miraculous restoration to health.

JAMES L. RITE, Indianapolis.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of May, 1887. R. F. WITT, Notary Public.

The Smoke Ball is an infallible remedy for colds and sore throat.

DR. A. S. BILLINGS, Dodge and Fifteenth Streets, Omaha.

I suffered with consumption—had hemorrhage—went to Texas for my health. I now believe there is a cure for consumption, and that is the Carbolic Smoke Ball. It cured me.

Sworn to. GEO. D. CARPENTER, 118 N. Fourth Street.

By use of a half Smoke Ball I was cured of catarrh.

REV. A. P. STOUFF, Author of Chronology of Christ's Life, and other works, Indianapolis.

The Smoke Ball cleared my head and cured my sore throat. H. H. RIVERS, Pastor Broadway M. E. Church, Louisville.

Office of Young Men's Christian Association, 1124 Pacific Avenue, Tacoma, Washington Ter., Aug. 8, 1888. I used Carbolic Smoke Ball for Catarrh of the Head and Throat, from which I had suffered very much, and was completely cured.

S. T. DIMMICK, Sec.

We have opened an office in the "White House" building, Government Street, and invite the people to call and we will explain our treatment, also give

Free Tests of "Carbolic Smoke."

Special attention given to Ladies and Children.

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With full directions, on receipt of price.

Price of full treatment, $3.00; Smoke Ball, $2.00; Debellator, $1.00.

CARBOLIC SMOKE BALL CO., Box 181, Victoria, B. C. nov22-dw For sale by all Druggists.

BURST YOUR BUTTONS BY HAVING A 25 CENT MEAL AT THE COLONIAL HOTEL, JOHNSON STREET. TRY IT. oct1

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE LAST regular meeting of the Council a resolution was passed to the effect, that: From and after the 1st day of December next the water supply shall be turned off from all consumers who are three months in arrears at that date.

W. J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

City Clerk's office Nov. 14th, 1888. nov17

SCOTCH BAKERY, DOUGLAS STREET.

The cheapest place to buy Bread, Buns, Cakes, Pastry, Jellies, Blancmanges, etc., etc. Fresh ice cream daily. The trade supplied at special rates. Picnic baskets a specialty. Balls, Suppers and Parties catered for. Orders promptly and strictly attended to and delivered. my7-12m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Magistrates for the City of Victoria the undersigned will apply for a license to retail wines, liquors &c., upon the premises formerly known as the "Cosmopolitan" but now known as the "Victoria" hotel situate at the south east corner of Fort and Douglas streets.

CHARLES ZOELLE. Dated Nov. 12th 1888. no12td

GRASS SEED FOR SALE —BY— BRACKMAN & KER 150 Government street Telephone 157. oct25

BANK EXCHANGE SALOON.

HOT LUNCHEON FROM 11:30 to 2 o'clock in New York style. A commodious and quiet reading room attached to the premises, supplied with all modern illustrated and periodicals. EO. C. PAUL, Proprietor.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

SEASONABLE GOODS! —AT— THE WESTSIDE!

75 pair Heavy White Blankets, at $2.90, $3.75 and $4.50 per pair.
75 pair Super, at $5.25 and $5.90.
50 pair All Wool Family, at $5.40 and $6.25.
25 pair Extra Witney, at $7.50 to $12.50.

ALSO, THE PRODUCT OF THE NEW -:- WESTMINSTER -:- WOOLEN -:- MILLS,

Consisting of Blue, Grey and White Flannels, Checked Flannels, Blankets, Tweeds, Etc. Also, Comforter Quilts, at $1.00, $1.25, $2.25, $2.50 to $5.50. Eiderdown Quilts, Cradle and Average Quilts, Wool Shawls, Cardigan Jackets, Lapland Astrachan, Cashmere and Kid-lined Gloves. Fur-lined Cloaks, Capes and Muffs, Etc., Etc., all of which will be sold at a

SMALL ADVANCE ON WHOLESALE RATES!

Our Mantle and Dressmaking Department has proved an immense success. A number of first-class Sewers wanted.

THE WESTSIDE, J. HUTCHESON & COMPANY.

—THE— Vancouver City Foundry and Machine Works COMPANY (LIMITED),

Beg to inform the citizens of Victoria and public generally, that all orders for Castings, Boilers, or other work in their line, will not only meet with prompt attention, but that in addition to reasonable rates (including free delivery in Victoria), they are also prepared to guarantee their work as equal, if not superior, to any to be had elsewhere in the Province. Having appointed Andrew Gray, Esq., (Victoria Machinery Depot) as their Agent in Victoria, with full power and authority to quote prices, receive orders and enter into contracts in their name. All parties desirous of further information are respectfully requested to apply to him on the subject.

R. P. COOKE, President. nov20-6m

BRITISH COLUMBIA LAND AND INVESTMENT AGENCY (LIMITED.)

THOMAS ALLSOP, HENRY S. MASON, CUYLER A. HOLLAND, } DIRECTORS.

HEAD OFFICE: 56 New Broad St. LONDON, ENGLAND.

The business of ALLSOP & MASON has been merged in the above Company and will be carried on by the Company from this date as a General Land Investment and Insurance Agency.

MONEY TO LOAN ON MORTGAGE AT LOW RATES. Town Lots and Farming Lands for sale on easy terms. my17 D&W

JOHN WEILER, MANUFACTURER -:- OF -:- FURNITURE,

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Crockery, Glassware, Cutlery, Lamps, Wall Paper, Carpets, Window Shades, Curtain Poles, Portiers, Upholstery Goods and House Furnishing Goods of every Description.

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DRESS AND MANTLE MAKING

To the Ladies of Victoria:

It affords us great pleasure to announce that we have opened a Dress and Mantle Making Department in connection with our Establishment, and having secured the services of a thoroughly competent and experienced lady to take charge, we feel assured that in introducing Mrs. Mugridge, late of Toronto, to the Ladies of Victoria they can rely on their interests being carefully studied and receiving entire satisfaction in fit, style and workmanship. Taking this opportunity we thank our patrons for the liberal support extended to us in the past, and being determined to increase our efforts in providing the newest and most fashionable goods in the markets at the lowest reasonable prices, we respectfully solicit a continuance of your patronage.

Yours, very sincerely,

HENRY YOUNG & CO., THE WHITE HOUSE.

☞ Several first-class Dressmakers and Machinists wanted.

HASTIE & LOCKHART, The Cheapest Furniture House in the City, OLD LONDON BAZAAR STAND, No. 62 Government St. nov2

NOTICE TO CONSUMERS!

ATHLETE CIGARETTES

Are Manufactured from the Finest Selected Turkish and Virginia Tobaccos!

Superior in Quality to any of the Finest Imported Packages.

TO BE HAD AT ALL FIRST-CLASS DEALERS

Don't be Humbugged by Counterfeit Brands.

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE

Charles John Phillips late of the London Hotel, Victoria, B. C.

ALL PARTIES INDEBTED TO THE ESTATE of the above named deceased are requested to pay the amount thereof and all parties having claims against the same are requested to send in particulars thereof to the undersigned before the 20th November, next.

WILLIAM JOSEPH PHILLIPS, Administrator. oct27 1m

Municipal Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the person causing or permitting to pass any filth or offensive matter either solid or liquid down through any sewer or drain or gutter into the ravine known as Johnson St. ravine will be prosecuted.

By order, THOS. J. PARTRIDGE, Acting C. M. C.

City Hall, Victoria B. C. November 3rd 1888.

EQUALITY OF REWARD.

DR. TALMAGE'S SERMON ON MAN'S USE OF HIS ENDOWMENTS.

The Parable of the Talents—Inferiority of Gifts No Excuse for Indolence—The Degrees of Happiness in Heaven in Proportion to Degrees of Usefulness on Earth.

BROOKLYN, Nov. 12.—At the Tabernacle this morning the acclaim of the worshipers was very great as they joined in the opening doxology. Professor Browne rendered exquisitely the organ solo, sonata in C minor, Rheinberger. The pastor, the Rev. T. De Witt Talmage, D. D., took for his text: "Unto one he gave five talents, to another two, and to another one; to every man according to his several ability." Matt. xxv, 15. He said:

Many of the parables of Jesus Christ were more graphic in the times in which he lived than they are now, because circumstances have so much changed. In olden times, when a man wanted to wreak a grudge upon his neighbor, after the farmer had scattered the seed wheat over the field and was expecting the harvest, his avenger would go across the same field with a sack full of the seed of darnel grass, scattering that seed all over the field, and of course it would sprout up and spoil the whole crop; and it was to that Christ referred in the parable when he spoke of the tares being sown among the wheat. In this land our farms are fenced off, and the wolves have been driven to the mountains, and we cannot fully understand the meaning of the parable in regard to the shepherd and the lost sheep. But the parable from which I speak today is founded on something we all understand. It is built on money, and that means the same in Jerusalem as in New York. It means the same to the serf as to the czar and the Chinese coolie as to the emperor. Whether it is made out of bone or brass, or iron or copper, or gold or silver, it speaks all languages without a stammer. The parable of the text runs in this wise: The owner of a large estate was about to leave home, and he had some money that he wished properly invested, and so he called together his servants and said:

"I am going away now, and I wish you would take this money and put it to the very best possible use, and when I come back return to me the interest." To one man he gave $9,400, to others he gave lesser sums of money; to the least he gave $1,880. He left home and was gone for years, and then returned. On his arrival he was anxious to know about his worldly affairs, and he called his servants together to report to him. "Let me know," said he, "what you have been doing with my property since I have been gone. The man who had received the $9,400 came up and said: "I invested that money. I got good interest for it. I have in other ways rightly employed it; and here are $18,800. You see I have doubled what you gave me." "That's very good," said the owner of the estate; "that's grandly done. I admire your faithfulness and industry. I shall reward you. Well done—well done." Other servants came up with smaller accumulations. After a while, I see a man dragging himself along, with his head hanging. I know from the way he comes in that he is a lazy fellow. He comes up to the owner of the estate and says: "Here are those $1,880." "What!" says the owner of the property, "haven't you made it accumulate anything?" "Nothing—nothing." "Why, what have you been about all these years?" "Oh, I was afraid that if I invested it, I might somehow lose it. There are your $1,880." Many a man started out with only a crown in his pocket, and achieved a fortune; but this fellow of my text, with $1,880, has gained not one farthing. Instead of confessing his indolence, he goes to work to berate his master, for indolence is most always impudent and impertinent. Of course, he loses his place and is discharged from the service. The owner who went out into the country to Jesus Christ goes from earth to heaven. The servants spoken of in the text are members of the church. The talents are our different qualifications of usefulness given in different proportions to different people. The coming back of the owner is the Lord Jesus returning at the judgment to make final settlement. The raising of some of these men to be rulers over five or two cities is the exaltation of the righteous at the last day, while the casting out of the idler is the expulsion of all those who have misimproved their privileges.

ERRONEOUS IDEAS REGARDING CHRISTIAN LIFE.

Learn first from this subject, that becoming a Christian is merely going out to service. If you have any romantic ideas about becoming a Christian, I want now to scatter the romance. If you enter into the kingdom of God, it will be going into plain, practical, honest, continuous, persistent Christian work. I know there are a great many people who have fantastic and romantic notions about this Christian life, but he who serves God with all the energies of body, mind and soul is a worthy servant, and he who does not is an unworthy servant. When the war trumpet sounds, all the Lord's soldiers must march, however deep the snow may be, or however fearful the odds against them. Under our government we may have colonels, and captains, and generals in time of peace, but in the church of God there is no peace until the last great victory shall have been achieved. But I have to tell you it is voluntary service. People are not brought into it as slaves were dragged from Africa. A young man goes to an artisan and says: "Sir, I want to learn your trade. I, by this indenture, yield myself to your care and service for the next four, or five, or seven years. I want you to be my master, and I want to be your servant." Just so, if we come into the kingdom of God at all, we must come, saying to Christ: "Be thou my master. I take thy service for time and for eternity. I choose it." It is a voluntary service. There is no drudgery in it. In our worldly callings sometimes our nerves get worn out, and our head aches, and our physical faculties break down; but in this service of the Lord Jesus, the harder a man works the better he likes it, and a man in this audience who has been for forty years serving God enjoys the employment better than when he first entered it. The grandest honor that can ever be bestowed upon you is to have Christ say to you on the last day: "Well done, good and faithful servant!"

THE MANY VARIOUS ENDOWMENTS OF MAN.

Learn also from this parable that different qualifications are given to different people. The teacher lifts a blackboard and he draws a diagram, in order that by that diagram he may impress the mind of the pupil with the truth that he has been uttering. And all the truths of this Bible are drawn out in the natural world as in a great diagram. Here is an acre of ground that has ten talents. Under a little culture it yields twenty bushels of wheat to the acre. Here is another piece of ground that has only one talent. You may plow it and harrow it and culture it year after year, but it yields a mere pittance. So here is a man with ten talents in the way of getting good and doing good. He soon, under Christian culture, yields great harvests of faith and good work. Here is another man who seems to have only one talent, and you may put upon him the greatest spiritual culture, but he yields but little of the fruits of righteousness. You are to understand that there are different qualifications for different individuals. There is a great deal of ruinous comparison when a man says: "Oh, if I only had [illegible], or that man's money, or that man's eloquence, how I would serve God." Better take the faculty that God has given you and employ it in the right way. The rabbis used to say, that before the stone and timber were brought to Jerusalem for the Temple every stone and piece of timber was marked; so that before they started for Jerusalem, the architects knew in what place that particular piece of timber or stone should fit. And so I have to tell you we are all marked for some one place in the great temple of the Lord, and do not let us complain, saying: "I would like to be the foundation stone or the cap stone." Let us go into the very place where God intends us to be, and be satisfied with the position. Your talent may be in personal appearance, your talent may be in large worldly estate, your talent may be in high social position, your talent may be in a swift pen or eloquent tongue, but whatever be the talent it has been given only for one purpose—practical use. You sometimes find a man in the community of whom you say: "He has no talent at all;" and yet that man may have a hundred talents. His one hundred talents may be shown in the item of endurance. Poverty comes, and he endures it; persecution comes, and he endures it; sickness comes, and he endures it. Before men and angels he is a specimen of Christian patience, and he is really illustrating the power of Christ's Gospel, and is doing as much for the church, and more for the church, than many more positively active. If you have one talent, use that; if you have ten talents, use them, satisfied with the fact that we all have different qualifications, and that the Lord decides whether we shall have one or whether we shall have ten.

I learn also from this parable that the grace of God was intended to be accumulative. When God plants an acorn, he means an oak, and when he plants a small amount of grace in the heart, he intends it to be growthful and enlarge until it overshadows the whole nature. There are parents who at the birth of each child lay aside a certain amount of money, investing it, expecting by accumulation and by compound interest that by the time the child shall come to mid life this small amount of money will be a fortune, showing how a small amount of money will roll up into a vast accumulation. Well, God sets aside a certain amount of grace for each one of his spiritual children at his birth, and it is to go on, and, as by compound interest, accumulate, until it shall become an eternal fortune. Can it be possible that you have been acquainted with the Lord Jesus for ten, twenty, thirty years, and that you do not love him more now than you ever did before? Can it be that you have been cultured in the Lord's vineyard, and that Christ finds on you nothing but sour grapes? You may depend upon it, if you do not use the talent that God gave you, it will dwindle. The rill that breaks from the hillside will either widen into a river or dry up. The brightest day started in the dim twilight. The strongest Christian man was once a weak Christian. Take the one talent and make it two; take five and make them five; take ten and make them twenty. The grace of God was intended to be very accumulative.

MAN'S LACK OF ADAPTABILITY TO CIRCUMSTANCES.

Again: I learn from the text that inferiority of gifts is no excuse for indolence. This man, with the smallest amount of money, came growling into the presence of the owner of the estate, as much as to say: "If you had given me $9,400 I would have brought $18,800 as well as this other man. You gave me only $1,880, and I hardly thought it was worth while to use it at all. So I hid it in a napkin and it produced no result. It's because you didn't give me enough." But inferiority of faculties is no excuse for indolence. Let me say to the man who has the least qualifications, by the grace of God he may be made almost omnipotent. The merchant, whose cargoes come out from every island of the sea, and who, by one stroke of the pen, can change the whole face of American commerce, has not so much power as you may have before God in earnest, faithful and continuous prayer. You say you have no faculty. Do you not understand that you might this afternoon go into your place of prayer, and kneel before God, and bring down upon your soul, and the souls of others, a blessing so vast that it would take eternal ages to compute it? "Oh," you say, "I haven't fleetness of speech. I can't talk well. I can't utter what I want to say." My brother, can you not quote one passage of Scripture? Then take that one passage of Scripture, carry it with you everywhere, quote it under all proper circumstances. With that one passage of Scripture you may harvest a thousand souls for God. I am glad that the chief work of the church in this day is being done by the men of one talent. Once in a while, when a great fortress is to be taken, God will bring out a great field piece and rake all with the fiery hail of destruction. But common muskets do most of the hard fighting. It took only one Joshua, and the thousands of common troops under him, to drive down the walls of cities, and, under wrathful strokes, to make nations fly like sparks from the anvil. It only took one Luther for Germany, one Zwinglius for Switzerland, one John Knox for Scotland, one Calvin for France and one John Wesley for England. Dorcas as certainly has a mission to serve as Paul has a mission to preach. The two mites dropped by the widow into the poor box will be as much applauded as the endowment of a college, which gets a man's name into the newspapers. The man who kindled the fire under the burnt offering in the ancient temple had a duty as imperative as that of the high priest, in magnificent robes, walking into the Holy of Holies under the cloud of Jehovah's presence. Yes, the men with one talent are to save the world, or it will never be saved at all. The men with five or ten talents are tempted to toil chiefly for themselves, to build up their own great name, and work for their own aggrandizement, and do nothing for the alleviation of the world's woes. The cedar of Lebanon standing on the mountains seems to hand down the storms out of the heavens to the earth, but it bears no fruit, while some dwarf pear tree has more fruit on its branches than it can carry. Better to have one talent and put it to full use than five hundred wickedly neglected.

THE INEVITABLE DAY OF RECKONING.

My subject teaches me that there is going to come a day of solemn settlement. When the old farmer of the text got home, he immediately called all the servants about him and said: "Here is the little account I have been keeping. I want to see your account, and we will first compare them; and I'll pay you what I owe you, and you'll pay me what you owe me. Let us have a settlement." The day will come when the Lord Jesus Christ will appear, and will say to you: "What have you been doing with my property? What have you been doing with my faculties? What have you been doing with what I gave you for accumulative purposes?" There will be no escape from that settlement. Sometimes you cannot get a settlement with a man, especially if he owes you. He postpones and procrastinates, and says: "I'll see you next week," or "I'll see you next month." The fact is, he does not want to settle. But when the great day comes of which I am speaking, there will be no escape. We will have to face all the bills. I have sometimes been amazed to see how an accountant will run up or down a long line of figures. If I see ten or fifteen figures in a line and I attempt to add them up, and I add them two or three times, I make them different each time. But I have admired the way an accountant will take a long line of figures, and without a single mistake, and with great celerity, announce the aggregate. Now, in the last great settlement there will be a correct account presented. God has kept a long line of sins, a long line of broken Sabbaths, a long line of profane words, a long line of discarded sacraments, a long line of misimproved privileges. They will all be added up, and before angels and devils, and men, the aggregate will be announced. Oh, that will be the great day of settlement. I have to ask the question: "Am I ready for it?" It is of more importance to me to answer that question in regard to myself than in regard to you; and it is of more importance for you to answer it in regard to yourself than in regard to me. Every man for himself in that day. Every woman for herself in that day. "If thou be wise, thou shalt be wise for thyself; if thou scornest, thou alone shalt bear it." We are apt to speak of the last day as an occasion of vociferation—a great demonstration of power and pomp; but there will be on that day, I think, a few moments of entire stillness. I think a tremendous, an overwhelming silence. I think it will be such a silence as the earth never heard. It will be at the moment when all nations are listening for their doom.

THE PHILOSOPHY OF EQUALITY OF REWARD.

I learn also from this parable of the text that our degrees of happiness in heaven will be graduated according to our degrees of usefulness on earth. Several of the commentators agree in making this parable the same one as in Luke, where one man was made ruler over five cities and another made ruler over two cities. Would it be fair and right that the professed Christian man who has lived very near the line between the world and the church—the man who has often compromised his Christian character—the man who has never spoken out for God—the man who has never been known as a Christian only on communion days—the man whose great struggle has been to see how much of the world he could get and yet win heaven—is it right to suppose that that man will have as grand and glorious a seat in heaven as the man who gave all his energies of body, mind and soul to the service of God? The dying thief entered heaven, but not with the same startling acclaim as that which greeted Paul, who had gone under scorchings and across dungeons and through maltreatments into the kingdom of glory. One star differs from another star in glory, and they who toil mightily for Christ on earth shall have a far greater reward than those who have rendered only half a service. Some of you are hastening on toward the reward of the righteous. I want to cheer you up at the thought that there will be some kind of a reward waiting for you. There are Christian people in this house who are very near heaven. This week some of you may pass out into the light of the unsetting sun. I saw a blind man going along the road with his staff, and he kept pounding the earth and then stamping with his foot. I said to him, "What do you do that for?" "Oh," he said, "I can tell by the sound of the ground when I am near a dwelling." And some of you can tell by the sound of your earthly pathway that you are coming near to your father's house. I congratulate you. Oh, weather beaten voyagers, the storms are driving you into the harbor. Just as when you were looking for a friend, you came up to the gate of his house, and you were talking with the servant, when your friend hoisted the window and shouted, "Come in! come in!" Just so, when you come to the gate of the future world, and you are talking with death, the black porter at the gate, methinks Christ will hoist the window and say: "Come in! come in! I will make thee ruler over ten cities." In anticipation of that land I do not wonder that Augustus Toplady, the author of "Rock of Ages," declared in his last moment: "I have nothing more to pray for; God has given me everything. Surely no man can live on earth after the glories I have witnessed." Oh, my brothers and sisters, how sweet it will be, after the long wilderness march, to get home. That was a bright moment for the tired dove in the time of the deluge when it found its way safely into the window of the ark.

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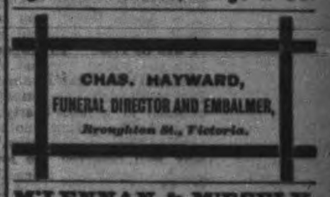
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—The Governor-General and Lady Stanley will probably visit British Columbia early next summer.

—A splendid lot of fine fat turkeys has been received at the Queen's market for the 29th, the American thanksgiving day.

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ENTERTAINMENT LAST NIGHT.

Large Attendance—Dramatic Performance—A Success.

Philharmonic Hall was crowded last night with an appreciative audience. The entertainment was a success throughout and reflects most creditably on the ladies and gentlemen who took part. The programme commenced with an overture, "Couronne D'Or," by C Battery orchestra under the leadership Bandmaster Agius. Miss Annie Shaw, one of Victoria's sweetest singers, followed with the solo "I will be True." In response to an *encore* the young vocalist sang another beautiful solo. Miss Hyams recited "The Demon Drink." The younglady was applauded in a most hearty manner and responded by giving another recitation entitled "Naming the Baby." The young lady well deserved the loud applause which greeted her splendid recitations. Mr. Murphy sang three of his unlimited number of comic songs before the large audience would allow him to retire. The juvenile orchestra, Miss North and her three brothers, played an overture on the piano, violin, cornet and clarjonet. The children are little wonders and were recalled. Lieut.-Col. Prior's solo, "No Surrender," was a rare treat and was received with loud and continued applause. In response to an *encore* Col. Prior sang "Rocked in the Cradle of the Deep." Another pleasing overture by the orchestra belonging to C Battery brought the first part of the entertainment to a close.

The comic drama entitled "His Last Legs" was then presented by the Amateur Dramatic Company. Staff Sergt. Mellon took the principal part in the very creditable performance and kept the audience convulsed with laughter from the commencement to the end of the piece. The Sergeant introduced several local hits which received thunders of applause. Mrs. Hewlitt, as Mrs. Montague, sustained the difficult part in a most creditable manner. Miss Deasy's rendition of the part of Julia was all that could be desired and Miss Smith sustained the part of Mrs. Banks to perfection. The difficult part taken by Alex. McDonald reflected most creditably on that gentleman. The part taken by Staff Sergeant Hewlitt was well sustained throughout the piece. Mr. Phelps as Dr. Banks, E. C. Smith as Thomas and W. Deasy as Sambo were perfect in their respective *roles*. The performance throughout was creditable and was greatly appreciated by the large audience.

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Elected to the Legislature.

In the recent election in California the Hon. Lewis Frank, brother of Mr. Alexander Frank, was elected to the legislature in San Mateo county on the democratic ticket.

Taken to the Hospital.

Among the passengers from the Sound this morning was Lewis Johnson, a former resident of Metchosin, who was suffering from injuries received in Alaska. He came down on the Idaho, came over on the Olympian and was conveyed to the hospital.

Stealing a Boat.

In the Provincial Court on Monday morning, Thomas Berube was charged with bringing stolen property into the Dominion. The case arose out of the loss of a small steam launch by parties in Seattle which was stolen and brought to this province. There was no evidence produced to prove that Berube stole the boat. The prisoner was discharged on payment of costs and the court ordered the return of the boat to the proper owners.

One Juryman Missing.

When the trial of Stephen Tomache was called this morning in the Supreme Court, before Hon. Justice Crease, the jurymen took their places and two were challenged by the defense. It was not noticed that only eleven jurymen were sworn and the case proceeded. The evidence was all taken and His Lordship delivered his charge when one of the jurymen remarked that eleven of a jury could not bring in a verdict. The twelfth man was then sworn in and the whole case was gone over again.

Lange & Co.'s Guessing Match.

Four valuable prizes, consisting of two Gold Watches, one Tea Set and one Diamond Ring will be given away. For every $5 in cash invested in a purchase in our store from this date to the 1st January, 1889, the purchaser will be entitled to one chance in the above guessing match. We have made the mistake in overstocking ourselves this season in every branch in the jewelry line, fine goods particularly, and have chosen this method to turn them into cash regardless of profits, giving our customers the above advantage in return. Notice of the distribution of the above prizes will be given. *

The funeral of Emily Maud, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Austin, took place this afternoon from the residence of the parents at 1 o'clock, and from Christ Church Cathedral shortly after 2 o'clock. A large concourse of sorrowing friends were present to pay a last mark of respect to the departed. From the Cathedral the sad *cortege* proceeded to Ross Bay cemetery where the last sad rights were performed. The pall-bearers were R. Monro, D. Ker, R. Ker, N. Hibben. The casket was covered with beautiful wreaths and crosses of flowers. Rev. Mr. Kingham officiated at the Cathedral and at the cemetery.

Death of a Victorian.

Mr. J. D. Campbell received a letter this morning conveying the sad intelligence that Joseph A. Shore died in Essex Centre, Ontario, on Nov. 8th. The young man was well known in this city, having occupied a position as trusted messenger in Wells, Fargo & Co.'s office in this city for several years. He was attacked with illness some time ago and was ordered by his medical attendant to leave this city. He went to his home in in Essex Centre where he passed away. Deceased was aged 36 years. He was married to Miss McMillan, daughter of Daniel McMillan and sister of Mrs. John Hendry, of New Westminster, and Mrs. J. D. Campell, of Esquimalt. The deceased was greatly respected by his numerous friends and former employees. The remains were interred in the Essex Centre cemetery on Nov. 10th and were followed to their last resting place by a large concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends.

A Practical Sermon.

On Sunday evening an excellent sermon was preached in the Pandora street Presbyterian church by the Rev. D. Fraser from the text "Give me neither poverty nor riches; give me food convenient for me." Basing his remarks on this sound sentiment the speaker pointed out that the best condition of man was moderate circumstances. The happy medium was as desirable in the matter of worldly possessions as in anything else. While poverty had its temptations so had riches. The rich man grew proud and arrogant. He did not consider his fellow man. He allowed nothing to stand in the way of the getting of wealth. He ignored the Sabbath asking "who is the Lord?" that he should obey him. Reference was also made to the attempt to pry into the future by resorting to witches. This was one kind of food which the minister did not consider was convenient for us.

POLICE COURT.

[Before Hon. A. N. Richards, Q.C.]

A resident of Yates street was charged with allowing his chimney to catch fire contrary to the city fire by-law. Fined $5 and costs.

Jeanette Gray, on remand from the 24th, charged with keeping a house of ill-fame.

Mr. J. P. Walls appeared for the defense and said the summons was served on a woman named Jeanette Gray. The defendant said her name is Jeanette Wadsworth.

His Honor said he saw some observations in the paper last night made by His Lordship the Chief Justice regarding the evidence taken in the police court. Evidence should be taken down carefully and as counsel were in a hurry to take depositions they did not give the clerk of the court enough time to write evidence clearly. The evidence must go before the Supreme Court and an official new to his business should not be hurried as was done in recent cases.

The charge against Jeanette Wardsworth was then proceeded with.

Officers Lindsay, Lavin and Mitten gave evidence for the prosecution.

The woman was fined $50. Mr. Walls gave notice that he would appeal against the decision.

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A juror—There was no evidence of that fact brought before us.

The prisoner stated that the business of the C. P. R. was being closed out and he received his dismissal. The cash box was taken from him on the 6th November and placed in the C. P. R. office. He had not seen it since till in court yesterday. It contained when taken out of his hands the monies stated. Explaining the discrepancies and mistakes, he said, that he could not obtain access to the office documents or a settlement and made a pathetic appeal to the jury as to telling the truth, etc. The prisoner said that the proprietor of the Driard asked for his board account. Having no money, neither had his wife, she went to the C. P. N. Co., and Mr. Vincent gave her $250 of his deposit with the company. Was appointed as special policeman in February. It was hinted to him shortly afterwards that if he valued his liberty to clear out of the country. Being innocent, he did not go and unfortunately wrote that letter to Captain Irving which has been called a confession. A few days afterwards he received a letter from the company's lawyers offering to settle the matter for $1500. Making a final appeal to the jury the prisoner brought his address to a close which was on the whole an excellent effort.

Mr. Eberts summed up for the Crown, going over the facts of the case and the statement made by the prisoner that either Capt. Irving, Mr. Vincent or Mr. Baxter had taken the money out of the cash box. The prisoner played off sick and made no effort to obtain a settlement. All sentiment should be put away from the minds of the jury. The prosecution and conviction of the accused was nothing to the C. P. N. Co. Capt. Irving, Mr. Vincent, and other gentlemen with whom the prisoner was associated would be very sorry if the prisoner was convicted. The prosecution was by the Crown; not in the interest of any company or individual.

His Lordship then charged the jury. He said the prisoner had been called an unfortunate man. There was no such thing as an unfortunate man. The managers of the company had been accused of robbery. Every one that said any thing against this man had been attacked. His Lordship illustrated how embezzlement generally commences. The statement of the prisoner that there were $3000 in the cash box must not be accepted. Capt. Irving had been at him for over three months to go to the office and open the cash box. In all the letters he wrote there is no allusion to the money in the box till mentioned by the counsel for the prisoner and should have no effect on the minds of the jury. It was not Capt. Irving or Mr. Vincent who was on trial, it was the prisoner and his statement or accusation should be received by the jury with caution. That was for the jury to decide. On the 26th November the prisoner received monies which he returned.

Mr. Wilson—Pardon me, my lord, the prisoner was not in the employ of the company on the 10th; he was discharged on the 3rd.

His Lordship demurred and did not agree that the letter was a dismissal. After some argument His Lordship said that the jury may if they like construe the letter a dismissal or not. It rests with them.

Mr. Eberts said he would amend the indictment if necessary.

His Lordship, continuing, stated that embezzlement was generally a long system of purloining and recommended the prosecution to fall back on the items which occurred in October, to bring it within the period of service. If the jury were of opinion that the monies received in October were not paid to the company but had been applied by the prisoner to his own use, being then a clerk in the employ of the company, then the jury should return a verdict of guilty. There was no use going further into the evidence, as it would take up another day.

Mr. Eberts wanted to explain some exhibits to the jury and put them in.

Mr. Wilson objected, as the time had passed, and the jury shortly retired.

After the jury retired in the Munro case, Mr. Theo. Davie arose in the Supreme Court this afternoon and said that before going on with the application for an extension of time in the libel suit before the court, he would call His Lordship's attention to a gross libel—

His Lordship—Do you intend to speak of something appearing in a newspaper?

Mr. Davie—Yes, Your Lordship. This gross and libelous article states that a man cannot bring a case into court unless he is prepared to buy the judge. The articles appeared in THE TIMES of Saturday and Monday. If those articles are not gross contempt of court I do not know what is, as they state justice can be bought.

His Lordship—Perhaps you wish to take notice of the language used. It would be better to take it before another judge.

Mr. Davie—Well, sir, if this licentiousness is allowed to go on we do not know where it will stop.

His Lordship—If you consider it of public interest you had better apply to some other judge.

Mr. Davie—All right; I will, my Lord.

Regarding the application for an extention of time in the Ellis and Sargison case, Mr. Davie said an indictment was found by the Grand Jury. The defendants wish to file a plea of justification. The time to put in this plea has expired and the defendants ask for an extension of eight days.

His Lordship—Why do you want so long a time?

Mr. Davie—Eight days will be only a reasonable time. I would ask for a special jury.

Mr. Mills—Mr. Davie is not entitled to eight days. I will leave that question in your Lordship's hands; but I consider the defendants should be arraigned. This is the time to plead.

Mr. Drake—I appear with Mr. Davie and as the Assizes will, most likely, last four days longer we will not have time to enter our plea.

His Lordship—Well, take your eight days, Mr. Davie.

Mr. Mills—I will ask for two days to reply.

His Lordship—How will it do to adjourn for ten days and a plea will be sent in before eight days.

Mr. Mills—I oppose the motion for a special jury. This court is now constituted as a court of assize. There can be no special jury in a criminal case.

His Lordship—A special jury would be very valuable.

Mr. Mills—I wish to guard against a writ of error.

His Lordship—I don't think I can make the order, Mr. Davie.

His Lordship left the bench to consult with Justice Crease. On returning His Lordship said he had arrived at the conclusion that the case was a proper one for a special jury.

Mr. Mills—Mr. Grant was anxious to have the case tried by a special jury; but the counsel did not want to see a writ of error issue.

The jury in D. R. Munro's case then came into court and returned a verdict of "not guilty." Mr. Munro was then discharged.

Messrs. Davie and Drake asked for a postponement until next assizes of the trial of the charges against Messrs. Campbell and Kennedy.

Mr. Pooley opposed the application.

The postponement of the hearing of this case until the next assizes was granted.

The court was adjourned until 10 o'clock to-morrow morning when the case of Dr. Griffin will be heard.

(Before Hon. Justice Crease.)

Edward Hodges was found "not guilty" on the alleged charge of jail breaking and was discharged.

Stephen Tomache was arraigned on a charge of larceny and pleaded "not guilty." A jury was sworn and after hearing the evidence the jury retired. A verdict of "guilty" was returned and sentence deferred.

The charge of murder preferred against Joe Connell *alias* Kanaka Joe was taken up in Justice Crease's court this afternoon.

Deputy Attorney General Irving prosecuted. F. G. Walker defended the prisoner.

ON THE REEFS.

The Idaho is Almost Shipwrecked—A Critical Experience.

The steamer Idaho arrived at Port Townsend this morning at twenty minutes past three o'clock, considerably disabled from striking on a reef of rocks in Hecate Sound on Saturday the 26th inst. The Idaho left Wrangel on the southward trip at 12 o'clock on Tuesday last, taking the passage outside of Prince of Wales Island. She arrived at Klawack on the following afternoon and loaded 891 cases of salmon at the cannery there. She lay at anchor all night, and towards morning a violent gale sprang up. Although sheltered by islands the ship dragged her anchor and was driven towards the shore, but fortunately she was rescued from her perilous position. The wind subsiding somewhat Capt. Hunter put to sea about 8 o'clock a. m. and passed through Dixon Entrance and into Hecate Sound, the storm beginning shortly after the ship left her anchorage at Klawack. For two days the Idaho had to face one of the severest hurricanes ever experienced on the Northern Pacific coast. Being lightly loaded she was driven before the gale as she rolled almost helplessly in the trough of the sea. On Friday morning, after having buffeted the waves for two days and two nights and at about half past eight o'clock the ship struck on a sunken reef, and for a minute remained stationary, when an enormous wave lifted her off. An effort was made to back the vessel, as there were many reefs ahead. The captain put out drags on the larboard side, in hopes that the head of the ship would be brought about, the engines being powerless to give her headway sufficient to render the rudder effective. The mainmast was also cut away and the jibsail hoisted. Ultimately the ship was forced away from the reefs and got into deep water again. The gale continued, subsiding considerably towards evening. During the afternoon a point of land was seen and recognised, and a course was taken for the northern end of Vancouver Island. On Saturday night an anchorage was made at Boxer Cove, and from that point the usual channel was taken, and no further mishap was experienced. The damage to the vessel cannot yet be estimated, but is believed to be considerable. During the gale and after striking, she leaked so much that three pumps were required to keep the water in check, and had not the gale fortunately subsided at the critical moment the old Idaho might not have gotten off so well as she did.

Among the passengers were R. Sylvester, G. W. Taylor, J. D. Sage Miller, Chas. Jones, Mr. Coulter, wife and child, Fred Sherkely, Archy Taylor, Inspector Cotton, Mr. Draper and several others. There were in all 12 cabin and 15 steerage passengers. When on the rocks and throughout the whole storm, officers and passengers behaved nobly, and although in the seething sea and twenty miles from land it is scarcely possible that a soul would have been left to tell the tale had Capt. Hunter not succeeded in extricating his ship from the sunken reef that lay ahead. Seventeen years ago the ill-fated G. S. Wright was lost it is supposed in the same place.

The Idaho will be surveyed in Victoria, and may possibly go to San Francisco to be docked for repairs.

SPORTING NOTES.

Our Champion's Record—A Young Man with a Future.

William J. O'Connor, who by Saturday's race became champion oarsman of America, was born in Toronto, twenty-three years ago, and first came into prominence in 1882 as a member of the Dominion Amateur Rowing Club of Toronto. In 1883 he won the senior championship of Canada, at Hamilton, Ontario, having a short time before, with his partner, Enright, won the championship for the double team from Lang Bros. He became a professional oarsman in 1885 by challenging Ritz of Pittsburg to race for $1,000 a side, but the latter declined to row. In 1887 he defeated Albert Hamm but in his next race at Buffalo his boat was swamped and he only took third place, Hanlan winning. In March of this year he defeated Peterson, the Pacific slope champion, at San Francisco, and subsequently met and defeated George Lee, Gaudaur and other good men. He is five feet, ten inches in height, and weighed 163 pounds in his last race. He now goes to Australia to wrest the championship from Searle and should he not be enervated by the climate there is every probability that he will do it. In that event the much coveted championship will come back to Canada where plenty of good muscle is daily growing up to help keep it.

HANLAN AGAIN DEFEATED.

Sydney, N. S. W., Nov. 27—In the boat race on the Paramatta river to-day, Beach defeated Hanlan.

THE WALKING MATCH.

New York, Nov. 27—2 p.m.—The score of the 6 day walking match is as follows: Cartwright, 187; Herty, 185; Moore, 186; Littlewood, 179; Day, 178; Howard, 176; Connor, 172; Golden, 173; Mason, 168; Hart, 168; Chapman, 157; Noremace, 157; Elson, 148; Verit, 139; Smylie, 134; W. Smith, 134; Taylor, 130; Dillon, 100; Peack, 103; and C. Smyth, 64.

Arrived!

Bass XXXX Ale (Lamb's Wool) at the Occidental Hotel bar. *

New Autumn Dress Fabrics.

A complete line in single and double width goods just received at the City House. *

For Young Men Only.

There are quite a number of enterprising young men in this city who would do well to paste this suggestion in their hat: About 9 p. m. place a glass of water on a chair near the bed, rub a little salt on your upper lip and get into bed. Lie facing the water and pretend to go to sleep. Keep one eye partly open and you will soon see a little hair come out in search for a drink, the salt having made it thirsty. Watch it closely, and suddenly catch hold of it and tie a knot on it to prevent it from going back. Renew the pretence of sleep and treat the next one that comes out in the same manner. By daylight, if you are watchful and quick you will have a nice little moustache.

The Sardonyx came in about 5 o'clock this afternoon from Olympia.

Ladies.

Keep your feet day and comfortable by getting a pair of "Wawkenfast" or Cork Soled Boots. Erskine's is the place, corner Government and Johnson streets. *

Suits to Order $18.00
Pants „ „ „ 4.00
Vests „ „ „ 3.50

RUSSELL, McDONALD & Co's, opposite St. John's Church, Douglas Street. dw

SIT AT ONCE!

Do you want your Portrait to reach the "Old Country" by Christmas? If so, sit at once at Hall & Lowe's, Government Street. nov19-1m

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

Estate of Thomas John Williams, late of Cowichan, deceased.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE above estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons having claims are requested to send the same to

THORNTON FELL,
Solicitor to the Administratrix.

Victoria, 26th November 1888. no27-1m

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE expiration of 30 days I shall apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to establish a public highway, from a section post on the Old Saanich Road, between section 5, S. S., R. 4 E. and 15 S. R. 5 E. between R. 4 and 5 E. thence northwest along Old Saanich Road to that known as Tolmie & Poole's Road; thence along the said Tolmie & Poole Road until it reaches the New Saanich Road.

W. McHUGH.

Nov. 26th, 1888. no26 1m

FOR NAAS & SKEENA RIVERS,

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THE NORTHWESTERN CANNERIES CO.'Y STEAMER

"Cariboo-Fly"

W. H. MEYER, MASTER,

Will sail for the above Ports, from Turner, Beeton & Co.'s Wharf,

On Wednesday, November 28th

This Steamer having been recently refitted offers very superior accommodation for Passengers. For Freight or Passage apply to the Agent,

HENRY SAUNDERS,
Johnson Street.

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A WORTHY MAN

A DEAF MUTE IS IN THE CITY. HE IS travelling to sell Books, Needle and Stationery Packages at 25 cents each to support his wife and children in Iowa. He was thrown from the railroad by an engine and severely hurt. Head and body are awfully diseased. He is not able to do hard work, so he takes this method of earning his livelihood. Your mites will show that you wish him success. This man is no humbug but is worthy of respect. He is from Des Moines, Iowa and arrived in this city on November 8th. He will leave for Vancouver on December 3rd. The man supports a wife and family on his sales. He has two brothers deaf mutes on a farm at Story City, Story County, Iowa. no28

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CLARENCE HOTEL.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS THIS DAY DISposed of the furniture, stock and good will of the Clarence Hotel to Mr. W. C. Anderson. Thanking the general public for the liberal patronage bestowed upon me, I bespeak for my successor a continuance of the same.

F. G. RICHARDS, Jr.

All persons having claims against the undersigned are requested to send a statement of same to me on or before the 1st November.

F. G. RICHARDS, Jr.

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At the Tailoring Department of

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From which they are making Superb Fitting Business Suits for $18.00, $20.00, $22.00, $24.00 and upwards.

Pants, $4.00, $4.50, $5.00, $6.00 and upwards.

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The Cutting and Finishing is the best in this City, and nothing but the best WHITE labor is employed on the construction of Clothing.

You are invited to call and inspect our Material, Prices and Workmanship before placing your order for a Winter Suit.

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